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TAGS: CPRS, GE (SELIG, PAUL)

SUBJ: CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY ON BEHALF OF PAUL SELIG

REF: STATE 182074

1. EMBASSY IS IN COURSE OF OBTAINING ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS POSED IN CONGRESSMAN YATRON'S LETTER FROM GDR. OUR INITIAL TELEPHONIC INQUIRIES WHICH WE BEGAN UPON RECEIT OF DEPT'S OM OF MARCH 25 WERE UNANSWERED AND WE THEN REQUESTED FORMAL RESPONSE IN DIPLOMATIC NOTE TO GDR MFA IN MID MAY. THAT NOTE HAS STILL NOT BEEN ANSWERED. WE WILL CONTINUE TO PRESS THE GDR ON THIS CASE.

2. WE NOTE THAT THIS CASE MAY HAVE A RELATIONSHIP TO CLAIMS. THE GDR HAS BEEN UNWILLING TO RELEASE INFORMATION AND DOCUMENTATION ON SUCH CASES OUTSIDE OF THE FRAMEWORK OF FORMAL NEGOTIATIONS OF CLAIMS. WE WILL REPORT OUTCOME OF INQUIRY AS SOON AS RESULTS ARE AVAILABLE. WE REGRET THAT WE DID NOT PROVIDE THE CONGRESSMAN AN INTERIM REPLY. COOPER

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